



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents
United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

SMITH, GAMBRELL & RUSSELL
1230 PEACHTREE STREET NE, SUITE 3100 I
ATLANTA, GA 30309-3592

COPY MAILED

SEP 29 2008

In re Application of :
BODE, Hermann H. :
Application No. 10/598,452 : DECISION ON PETITION TO
Filed: August 31, 2006 : WITHDRAW FROM RECORD
Attorney Docket No. 048167.00100 :
:

This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 C.F.R. § 1.36(b), filed October 26, 2007.

The request is APPROVED.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney/agent of record must be signed by every attorney/agent seeking to withdraw or contain a clear indication that one attorney is signing on behalf of another/others. A request to withdraw will not be approved unless at least 30 (thirty) days would remain between the date of approval and the later of the expiration date of a time to file a response or the expiration date of the maximum time period which can be extended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

The request was signed by Charles Warner on behalf of all attorneys of record. All attorneys/agents associated have been withdrawn. Applicant is reminded that there is no attorney of record at this time.

The request to change the correspondence of record is not acceptable as the requested correspondence address as it is not that of: (1) the first named signing inventor; or (2) an intervening assignee of the entire interest under 37 C.F.R. 3.71. All future communications from the Office will be directed to the first named signing inventor at the first copied address below until otherwise properly notified by the applicant.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at 571-272-7253.

Monica A. Graves
Petitions Examiner
Office of Petitions

CC: HERMANN H. BODE
SCHILLERSTRABE 20
OCHTRUP, GERMANY 48607

CC: LAURENCE P. COLTON
SMITH GAMBRELL & RUSSELL
1230 PEACHTREE STREET NW, SUITE 3100
ATLANTA, GA 30309